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Although the groundhog forecasted six more weeks of winter, spring in Tennessee is just around the corner. Studies show that Tennessee has a higher risk of deaths from tornados than other states. Because of this, the Murfreesboro Police Department and other public safety agencies have partnered with the Rutherford County Emergency Communications District to offer "Alert Rutherford".

"Alert Rutherford" is a free service designed to provide residents with immediate emergency notifications sent to your cell phone, work or home via text, email or voice message. When a life threatening situation such as a tornado endangers Rutherford County, Alert Rutherford will send you the important information that may save your life. "When seconds count, trust 911 and Alert Rutherford to keep your family safe" said Rutherford County Emergency Communications District Director Steve Smith.

To sign up for the free service, simply click on alertrutherford.rcecd911.org and register your phone for emergency alerts. Your information is not shared or sold. For more information about "Alert Rutherford", contact any public safety agency in Rutherford County.